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David C. Bramlette III

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
 Education: Princeton 1962 BA; Mississippi 1965 JD
 Began Service: December 1991
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Judicial: Special Circuit Judge, Mississippi District Court, Sixth Judicial District; Judge, Adams County Court

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Adams, Forman, Truly, Ward & Bramlette (1975-1991)

Current Memberships: Adams County Bar Association; American Bar Association; Mississippi State Bar

Staff

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Louis Guirola, Jr.

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
 Began Service: April 9, 1996

Staff

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 Education: Mississippi 1992 JD
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Keith Starrett

District Judge

Began Service: January 1, 2005
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

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Dan M. Russell, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1913
 Education: Mississippi 1935 BA, 1937 JD
 Began Service: October 25, 1965
 Appointed By: President Lyndon B. Johnson

Government: City Attorney, City of Waveland, Mississippi; City Attorney, State of Mississippi; Attorney, Mississippi Marine Conservation Committee; Attorney, Board of Supervisors, County of Hancock, Mississippi

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1938-1952); Associate, Russell & Favre (1952-1965)

Military Service: United States Navy (1941-1945)

Current Memberships: American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Federalist Society of Mississippi; Hancock County Bar Association; Mississippi State Bar Association

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Andrea Cabell Jones** (228) 563-1744
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L. T. Senter, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933
 Education: Southern Mississippi 1956 BS; Mississippi 1959 LLB
 Began Service: January 1, 1980
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Government: Prosecuting Attorney, State of Mississippi (1960-1964); United States Commissioner; Office of the United States Commissioner (1966-1968)

Judicial: Circuit Judge, Mississippi Circuit Court, First Judicial District (1968-1979)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1959-1961); Partner, Patterson, Senter & King (1961-1968)

Current Memberships: Fifth Circuit District Judges Association; Mississippi State Bar Association

Staff

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James C. Sumner

Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1944
 Education: Washington and Lee 1966 BA; Mississippi 1969 JD
 Began Service: October 1, 1993
 Term Expires: October 1, 2009

Clerkships: Law Clerk, Mississippi Supreme Court (1970)

Government: State Representative (MS), Mississippi House of Representatives (1972-1983)

Judicial: Judge, Mississippi Circuit Court, Fifth Judicial District (1983-1993)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1970-1983)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Mississippi State Bar

Staff

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Robert H. Walker

Magistrate Judge

Began Service: November 15, 2004

Staff

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Number of Judgeships: 2

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 Education: Oregon 1964 BA; New Orleans 1970 MA

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Walter J. Gex III

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
 Education: Mississippi 1962 BBA, 1963 LLB
 Began Service: 1986
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Judicial: Special Master, Mississippi Chancery Court, Hancock County

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Satterfield, Shell, Williams & Buford (1963-1972); Partner, Gex, Gex & Phillips (1972-1986)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association; Fifth Circuit Judges Association; Mississippi State Bar

Staff

Secretary **Kathleen A. Gex** (228) 563-1732

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William H. Barbour, Jr.

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1941
 Education: Princeton 1963 BA; Mississippi 1966 JD; NYU 1966
 Began Service: April 1983
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Youth Counselor, Yazoo City Court (1971-1982)

Legal Practice: Partner, Henry, Barbour & DeCell (1966-1983)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Charles Clark American Inn of Court

Staff

Secretary/Judicial Assistant **Nijah Lewis** (601) 965-4545

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John M. Roper, Sr.

Chief Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
 Education: Auburn 1964 BS; Tulane 1968 JD
 Began Service: July 1, 1975
 Term Expires: July 30, 2007
 Political Affiliation: Independent

Academic: Program Director, Milne Juvenile Delinquency Institution (1967-1969)

Clerkships: Law Clerk, United States District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi (1969-1975)

Military Service: Army National Guard (1968-1971); Air National Guard (1971-1974)

Current Memberships: Alabama State Bar; Federal Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Mississippi State Bar